IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No.2958-M of 2007

DATE OF DECISION:15.03.2007

Amandeep Singh .....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab .....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SATISH KUMAR MITTAL

Present:- Shri YM Bhagirath, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Shri N.S. Gill, AAG, Punjab.

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Petitioner Amandeep Singh apprehending his arrest in a non-bailable offence in case FIR No. 347 dated 22.12.2006 under Sections 379/406 IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Ferozepur, has filed this petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for anticipatory bail.

I have heard counsel for the parties and gone through the contents of the FIR.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that when the answering sheet of the petitioner was lost by the Examiner, the instant false FIR was lodged stating that the petitioner ran away with the answering sheet from the Examination Hall. He further contends that the examination was held between 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 a.m. and FIR has been registered in the evening. This fact itself indicates that the allegations are concocted.

Counsel for the petitioner further contends that in view of the order dated 18.1.2007, the petitioner has joined the investigation. Counsel for the respondent-State on instructions from Sarabjit Singh does not dispute this fact.

In view of the above, the interim bail, granted vide order dated 18.1.2007 is made absolute subject to the same terms and conditions.

Disposed of accordingly.

March 15, 2007 **(SATISH KUMAR MITTAL)**
pooja **JUDGE**